Respect Wildness... Practice the 7 principles of Leave No Trace skills and ethics

- Plan ahead and prepare: Plan your trip carefully. Prepare for extreme weather, hazards and emergencies. Plan for the least experienced member of your party.
- Travel and camp on durable surfaces: Hike single file in the middle of the trail or side by side in areas without trails. Camp in hardened areas only, not in meadows or on vegetation.
- **Dispose of waste properly:** Pick up all spilled foods and trash. Disperse washing and cooking wastewater 70 adult steps (200') from camps and all water sources. Leave no evidence of your stay.
- Leave what you find: Leave plants, rocks, antlers and artifacts as you find them for others to enjoy.
- o Minimize campfire impacts: Cook with a camp stove. Simply enjoy a candle lantern or the night sky.
- Respect Wildlife: Hang food and scented items 10 feet up and 4 feet out from trunk of tree. Minimize noise. Avoid lakes and streams at dawn and dusk.
- Be considerate of other visitors: Respect the quality of every visitor's experience.

EMERGENCIES: In case of emergency, go to the nearest phone (as located on map) and call 586-1399 or 911. Please remember that patrol cabins are not routinely staffed. Climb to higher elevations to attempt cell phone use.

<u>Site Location</u>: Site is located in an open area gently sloping south, surrounded by conifer trees and bordered on the south by Sawmill Creek. Sites are 0.2 mi. below the Grand Ditch, and are located in the vicinity of one of the ditch construction camps used by the Asian laborers around the turn of the 19th Century. Much of this trail is the old wagon road through Lulu City (now gone). Pitch tent within 15' of post with silver arrowhead to limit impact on surrounding vegetation.

Number of Sites: 2 individual & 1 group <u>Distance</u>: 4.6 mi. from CO River TH or

3.6 mi. from La Poudre Pass Parking.

Privy: YES <u>Elevation</u>: 10,160 ft.

Approx. Travel Time: 3 to 4 hrs. from Elevation Change: 1,100 ft. from CO River TH

CO River TH

Water Source: Water is available. Boil or adequately treat all water

<u>To Reach the Trailhead (TH)</u>: The CO river TH is located on the west side of Trail Ridge Road, 10.2 mi. north of the Grand Lake Entrance Station. Also accessible from the Never Summer TH at La Poudre Pass located at the end of the Long Draw Road, 12 mi. south of Hwy 14 in the Roosevelt National Forest.

